

CHAPTER NO. 516

HOUSE BILL NO. 1848

By Representative McKee

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1768

By Senator Fowler

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40 relative to the Tennessee Board of Pardons

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-28-102, is amended by adding the following language as a new subdivision (4) and renumbering the remaining subdivisions accordingly.

(4) "Notification" as used in this part may include telephone, facsimile and internet communications.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-28-107, is amended by deleting the words "a written list of" and "in writing" wherever they appear.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-28-505, is amended by adding the following new language at the end of subsection (b) subdivision (4):

Electronic notification may be used, in addition to, but not in lieu of written notification to a victim or a victim's representative.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-28-115, subsection (h) and subsection (i) are amended by deleting the word "board" wherever it may appear and substituting instead the language "Department of Correction".

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-28-129, is amended by deleting the word "board" wherever it may appear and substituting instead the language "Department of Correction".

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-35-501 (l) is amended in subdivision (1) by deleting the words "Board of Pardons and Paroles" and "board" wherever they may appear and substituting instead the language "Department of Correction". Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-35-501 (l) is further amended in subdivision (2) by deleting the word "board" wherever it may appear and substituting instead "Department of Correction".

SECTION 7. This act shall take effect on becoming law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 27, 1999


JIMMY RAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 17th day of June 1999


DON SUNDQUIST, GOVERNOR